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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. ____**

Introduced by: Bardon

A RESOLUTION honoring Representative Chet Dobis.

Whereas, It is the tenth anniversary of an incident involving Representative Chet Dobis' car and four new House Democratic interns;

Whereas, The incident involved good intentions gone awry;

Whereas, One of the House interns, Jason Bell, was instructed to take Representative Ed Goble's car keys and warm up his car;

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Whereas, The interns, new to the State House, went to the wrong office to get Representative Goble's car keys;

Whereas, Instead of getting the keys from Representative Goble's office, they took the keys from the office of Representative Chet Dobis, who happened to be away from his desk;

Whereas, Several inches of snow covered the parking lot, making it difficult to identify parking space numbers;

Whereas, Representative Bardon found what he thought to be the correct car by pressing the automatic trunk release on the key ring until one of the trunks popped open;

Whereas, The other three interns, Scott Short, Jason Bell, and Sandhya Markland, accompanied Representative Bardon to lunch in Representative Dobis' car;

Whereas, While they were gone, Representative Dobis' wife, who was visiting the State House for the day, went to the parking lot to get some things from the car;

Whereas, But by this time, the car was already gone;

Whereas, The State Police issued an all points bulletin for the car after it was discovered missing;

Whereas, When the interns safely returned to the State House parking lot, the State Police cordially greeted them and escorted them to Representative Dobis' office; and

Whereas, Representative Dobis wisely sorted out the problem and sent the thankful interns on their way: Therefore

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives thanks
- 2 Representative Chet Dobis for using restraint in a delicate situation and



1 for helping Representative Bardon continue down the road of public
2 service.

3 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
4 Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to Representative
5 Chet Dobis and Representative Jeb Bardon.

